

REMARKS

The Notice of Noncompliant Amendment Mailed October 7, 2009 indicates that the word "of" in line 5 of claim 31, added in the Amendment filed August 17, 2009 was not underlined to indicate that it was newly-added text. Applicants respectfully re-submit the set of claims, with the word "of" in line 5 of claim 31 underlined to indicate that it was newly-added text.

According to the Notice, and under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.114 and 1.121, because the noncompliant Amendment filed August 26, 2009 was included as a submission for the Request for Continued Examination filed October 1, 2009, Applicant is required to submit only the section of the Amendment requiring correction, *i.e.*, the listing of claims. Applicant therefore respectfully submits that the Amendment is now compliant with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

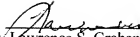
CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully requests that the present remarks be made of record in the file history of the present application. An early allowance of the application is earnestly requested. Although Applicant believes that no fee is due for the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee(s) deemed to be due, or to refund any overpayment, to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 503013, referencing our number 501872-999494.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned with any questions concerning the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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